## Harlon Reece

## **Biography**

<u>Harlon Reece</u>, a resident of Herndon for more than 17 years, was elected to the Herndon Town Council in May 2000. He is the Town's representative on the Board of Directors of the Dulles Area Transportation Association and the Board of Directors of the Committee for Dulles. He also serves as a member of the Dulles Corridor Rail Association's Advisory Board.

Prior to his election to the Town Council, Reece served as a member of the Town's Architectural Review Board, Heritage Preservation Review Board and the Mayor's Neighborhood Investment Leadership Team. He is treasurer of the Friends of Runnymede Park, past president and current board member of the Council for the Arts of Herndon and president of the Herndon Free Clinic. He is a member of the Herndon Towne Square Singers, American Legion – Post 184, the Herndon Rotary Club, the Herndon Historical Society and Herndon Community Television HCTV-23.

Reece has a B.A. in music education from Wayland College and a M.S. in technology of management from American University. A retired U.S. Marine Corps Officer, he served in combat duty in Vietnam and was awarded the Bronze Star with "V" device. Upon retirement from the Marine Corps at the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, he began a second career as a corporate vice president in the computer services industry, a position he held until his retirement in 1996.

Reece has been the recipient of many awards for his ongoing contributions and volunteerism to the Town, including: 1998 "Keeping the Arts Alive" award, presented by the Council for the Arts of Herndon; 2002 Best of Herndon-Dulles award for "Outstanding Service to the Herndon-Dulles Community," presented by the Herndon-Dulles Chamber of Commerce and Hyatt Dulles; 2004 Project Chair of the Year, Labor Day Jazz and Wine Festival; 2005 Citizen of the Year, presented by the Rotary Club of Herndon; and, on numerous occasions, "Outstanding Volunteer" at the Mayor's Annual Volunteer Appreciation Night.

Reece lives in Herndon with his wife, Midge.